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In re the application of

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For: PLUNGER LIFT WITH MULTIPART PISTON

Prior Art Statement

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant is aware of the following prior art:

1. Hutto U.S. Patent 2,074,912 discloses a well pump in which the piston 6 is moved upwardly in a pump sleeve by a wire line 29.
2. Montgomery U.S. Patent 3,090,316 discloses a gas lift system incorporating a pair of free pistons which separately move up and down in the well.

Copies of the above patents are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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